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Patient Transfer Device

Dear Sirs:

I am transmitting herewith for filing the following continuation patent application  
of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/420,648 filed October 19, 1999 which is a continuation  
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TITLE: Patient Transfer Device

**FIFTEEN (15):** Sheets of Formal Drawings  
(Figs. 1 to 11B)

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